

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Andrew C. Gilbert

Application No. : 10/042,371

Confirmation No. : 6761

Filed : December 27, 2001

For : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CREATING AND

TRADING DYNAMIC SECURITIES

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New York, New York 10020

July 15, 2002

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant requests that the time for filing a Reply to the February 14, 2002 Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application in the above-identified application be extended for a period of three months, from April 14, 2002 up to and including July 15, 2002 (July 14, 2002 is a Sunday).

A check in the amount of \$920.00, in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is submitted herewith. Please charge any underpayment, or credit any

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overpayment, in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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